

Students Hold Open Meeting Today At 1 In Union Ballroom

Off The Deep End



Photo by David Davey

This unfortunate auto was parked in front of the Arts Building yesterday when its brakes failed and it rolled down the incline and into the above tree, severely damaging its left fender as well as the tree. But the Three Bares remain unscathed.

The Students' Society will hold an open meeting today at 1 pm in the Union Ballroom to provide students with the opportunity of showing the solidarity in their desire for a new union and to express their opinions on the vital problems concerning this "University Centre".

All students are very strongly urged to attend this meeting and provide the quorum necessary to carry any decisions.

Motions will be made by members of the student body and will be discussed and voted on by the students themselves. The 3 main issues concern the site for the new union, its construction and the possible infringement upon student autonomy.

NEW UNION SITE

Wilfred Hastings stated that "the siting of the building must be such that it may be of service to all members of the university community. The proposed plan, a tower at the back of the present building, would be far from the developing campus, would be within a commercial rather than in a campus environment, and would be near a major traffic artery.

The facilities of the new union must be easily accessible to the entire student body, and a "University Centre" on the fringes of the campus would be a denial of its function as a centre, and a barrier to its effectiveness. The near riot after the Toronto football game should emphasize the need for more space around the building, which the present location would not provide.

"Without proper design and without proper location a New Union will be no better than the old building now in use, stated Robert Carswell, president of the Student's Society.

A tower of 12 stories high behind the old Union (for lack of space the only direction in which the building could go would be up) will not contribute to the integration of the student body, but will more likely add its own kind of departmentalisation to the life of the university.

The present proposal for the site and therefore the shape of the new building was decided by the Principal and the Board of

Governors, without any consultation with the students themselves.

LOSS OF AUTONOMY

The last major issue, but one of the most important, is the desire of the Principal and the Board of Governors to place the "University Centre" "under the control of the University". "Under the restrictive policies recently adopted by the Senate and the Board of Governors, the responsibility of the Students' Society, as well as its activities will be stifled," maintained Carswell. "and we must convince the Governors and the Senate of this University that we are a unified and mature student body".

Annual Sales Campaign Enters Closing Stages

The Annual sales campaign heads into its final period today, and with it the last chance for students to win one of the big prizes available. No one will be able to buy a copy of "Old McGill '62" after this week, as only one campaign is being held this year.

There are several prizes and incentives during the campaign. The big attraction is a trip

to Toronto for two for the Grey Cup, on a C.P.A. jet. The draw for this will be held on Monday and all receipts turned in by then will be included.

Another prize is the "dream date", dinner and theatre tickets for two. Lucky draws are being held each day, and the winners of the first two are Gillian Topham, B.A. 2, and Marianne Currie, B.A. 4. These can be picked up at noon at the Annual office.

AIM

The aim of this year's Annual sales campaign is to make it as easy as possible for students to buy their copy. The campaign is based on the Morgan's Van situated just inside the Roddick Gates.

There is a display of past year's "Old McGill", and other University yearbooks from colleges in the U.S. and Canada. All students are invited to visit this display, where they can also buy their copy of "Old McGill '62".

PRIZES

The salesgirls will be making their final efforts to win one of the prizes offered to the four highest sellers. Cash awards are being given to them, and in addition a free Annual is given to every girl selling fifty copies.

The Fraternities have their own competitions, prizes being awarded to the houses with the highest % of their members buying an Annual, separate awards being given to men's and women's houses.

Debaters Clash Tonight

Representatives of John F. Kennedy's alma mater are coming to Montreal tonight to debate against McGill on the topic: Resolved that this house would rather surrender to Russia than risk the destruction of humanity in a nuclear war.

The "Better Red than Dead" dispute will take place in Redpath Hall tonight at 8:30 pm.

Alan Henrikson and Thomas Fryman of Harvard will take the negative, while Gordon Echenberg and Irwin Cotler will be the affirmative team from McGill. Dr. William A. Westley, Chairman of the Department of Sociology and Anthropology will chair the debate.

Students will play an important role in awarding the decision in this cross-examination debate. The audience will be asked to name the winner by means of a house vote. A cross-examination debate is one in which each side can ask the other direct questions which must be answered.

MCGILL'S TEAM

Gordon Echenberg and Irwin Cotler, the affirmative team, are tonight risking their record of seventeen victories in their last eighteen contests. Last year, while representing McGill, they became Eastern Canadian Champions of the Inter-University Debating League, and were acclaimed the best English-speaking team in Canada.

Echenberg, a first year law student who graduated in 1961, is a

Gold Key Debater and a past member of the Debating Union Executive. He has been a finalist in all major public speaking contests at McGill, and has twice won the



IRWIN COTLER

Huggesen Trophy as a member of the best debating team at the university. He is presently the National Chairman of AISEC.

Irwin Cotler, who graduated in 1961 with Honours in Philosophy and Political Science, served as President of the Debating Union last year. A Gold Key Debater, he has won the Talbot-Papineau Trophy as the best public speaker at McGill. He is now Chairman of the

McGill Conference on World Affairs.

Harvard is sending the President and Treasurer of its Debate Council to participate in the contest.



GORDON ECHENBERG

Alan Henrikson is an Honours History student from Ames, Iowa. He is now in Senior Year, and plans to obtain his Doctorate in History, and his Bachelor of Laws degree. Last summer he was the main speech-writer for the Governor of Iowa.

Thomas Fryman is an Honours Government student in Senior Year, who plans to obtain his Bachelor of Laws degree after graduation. He has been a radio news-writer for the Voice of America.

His home town is Washington, Kentucky.

CHAIRMAN

Professor Westley has been Chairman of the Department of Sociology and Anthropology since 1955 and is presently the Chief Investigator in the McGill Study of Family Experience and Emotional Health. He has been active in University activities, serving on the Advisory Committees for Arts and Commerce. Professor Westley was Secretary-Treasurer of the McGill Association of University Teachers from 1953 to 1955, and was elected a Fellow of the Royal Society of Arts, London in 1960.

Myer Shimelman, Chairman of Public Debates, stated that "this event promises to be one of the most outstanding in the year's debating program. All students should take advantage of the opportunity to observe two of McGill's best speakers."

Tickets Still Available For Western Trip

Students wishing to go to London, Ontario this weekend to see the McGill-Western game must leave their names and phone numbers at the Union Tuck Shop before 1:30 pm today. So far very few people have taken advantage of this opportunity. Return fare is \$27.50 but if more than 10 go it will be under \$21. More than 25 brings it down to \$18.85. The train leaves Windsor Station, tomorrow at 3:30 and travellers must be there before 3 pm in order to purchase tickets at the reduced rate. Support the Redmen.

WUSC Annual Seminar Scheduled For Poland

The World University Service of Canada (WUSC) has announced that its 13th annual International Seminar, will be held this summer in Poland.

Applications are invited from any McGill full-time student who is a Canadian citizen and who is planning to return to McGill next year.

The theme of this year's seminar will be "The Role of Science and Culture in the Development of Nations". Included on the pro-

gramme will be an examination of the historical, political, economic, cultural and scientific aspects of life in Poland.

An orientation and introductory stay in Poznan, and visits to Warsaw, and Cracow are also planned. Cracow is scheduled to be used as a base for further journeys to the University, Nowa Huta, and Auschwitz concentration camp as well as for a one day excursion to Zakopane, a scenic resort in the Tatra mountains.

In addition, participants will be able to pursue their own specialized interests during the periods provided for field trips and small-group or individual visits.

PURPOSE

The purpose of the seminar is four-fold: 1) To bring Canadian students and professors into informal and intellectual contact with their colleagues in other countries; 2) To provide them with an insight and understanding of the peoples, problems and attitudes of other nations; 3) To confront them with values, cultures and customs different from their own; 4) To interpret Canada to the people of the area visited.

Seminars have so far been held in Germany, the Netherlands, France, Canada, India, Japan, Ghana, Yugoslavia, West Indies, Israel and Sweden. This year's seminar will be led by a joint committee of Canadian and Polish staff members.

The Canadian Co-Director for the programme will be Dr. J. J. Deutsch, Vice-Principal of Queen's University. Four Canadian staff members selected from various disciplines and from various regions of Canada will assist him.

Applications may be obtained from the WUSC office in the Union, or by phoning either of the McGill WUSC co-chairmen, Linda L'Aventure and/or Stan Messer. The deadline for all applications is November 20.

Union Managers Meet; Drop 'Little Bombshells'

by ROBERT PRINSKY

A new janitor for the Union, a Tea Dance after the Queen's football game, and a new duplicating service were the "little bombshells" dropped at Tuesday night's meeting of the Union Board of Managers.

The new janitor, Eddie Grace, will be on duty from 4 pm to 1 am. This means that there will be someone in the Union 24 hours a day. He will start work on Monday.

TEA DANCE

The Tea Dance is the second this year, and is being held because of the great success of the Toronto Tea Dance which netted a profit of \$228.

The similar dances last year all lost money, and their continuance this year was in doubt, but due to the large profit realized they will be continued.

Asked about the reasons for the difference in attendance, Chairman Andrew Roman said that it was

mostly a matter of publicity. Advertisements were placed in the Varsity (Toronto's student newspaper) as well as in the Daily. Announcements were also made at the game. Last year only a few small posters appeared around the campus.

DUPLICATOR

A new multilith duplicating machine has been purchased by the Union which will be run by the poster press (whose name will soon be changed to the Printing Committee). It is the same type of machine as that used by the University; it can reproduce pencil, pen, and pictures as well as the usual typewriting. However, special pencils and typewriter ribbons must be used.

Rates (which are subject to approval by the SEC) will run from \$1.55 per hundred to \$7.75 per thousand for printing and paper. This service will be available to students commencing shortly.

NEW OFFICES

The President, Bill Hutchison, named the organizations which have been housed in the new offices where the pool room used to be. They are: AIESEC, ISA, SCOPE, Forge, MCWA, Combined Charities, Freshman Reception, WUS, and Treasure Van.

He also noted that McGill was sending representatives to the convention of the Association of College Unions this weekend in Binghamton, N.Y.

President Bill Hutchison, Chairman Andrew Roman, and Women's Vice-President Judy Lamb are making the trip to exchange ideas with other Union executives in the northeast.

PREVIEWS

Today

COMMERCE UNDERGRADUATE SOCIETY

Executive meeting. Cue Room, 7 pm.

GLOBETROTTERS

First official meeting. Slides, Walter M. Stewart Room, 7:30 pm.

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ENGINEERING PRINCESSES

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HILLEL

Dr. Alexander Altman to Brandeis, Hillel House, 1 pm.

ROCKET SOCIETY

Meeting of all those interested in working on Rocket Launching and Research Group. McConnell Eng. Bldg., Rm. 117, 1 pm.

WOMEN'S UNION

CHINA DISPLAY

Bone china display, RVC Common Room, 9:30 am to 4:30 pm.

LUTHERAN STUDENTS MOVEMENT

Portraits of Martin Luther, 3467 Peel, Apt. 1, 1:05 pm.

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NOMINATIONS RED WING SOCIETY

Nominations are hereby called for membership in the Red Wing Society. All nominees must be female undergraduates in good standing with the University having a least a second class average, and must have had at least one year's attendance at McGill. All students who are partial, conditioned, on probation or repeating their year are ineligible.

a) Nominations for all faculties must be signed by at least twenty regular female undergraduates in any year except first. No nominator may sign more than one sheet for each position open. Nominations will be considered by a committee set up by the Society. Eighteen students, twelve from Group I and six from group II, in any faculty or school of the University will be chosen to run for election as follows:

Group 1 - 6 students in their second to last year

Group 2 - 3 students in their third to last year

All nominees must complete a questionnaire which may be secured from the Women's Union Office between 12 and 2 on weekdays.

All nominations and completed questionnaires must be handed in to the Women's Union Office not later than 2 PM Thursday, November 9th.

Elections will be held on Monday, November 20th.

Dr. James Hosts Tea For Overseas Students

Dr. and Mrs. F. Cyril James will entertain students from overseas at a tea tomorrow.

This tea is part of a program designed to foster friendship between foreign students, here for the first time, and McGill graduates. Invitations have been sent to over 250 overseas students from all faculties here and at MacDonald College.

A special guest of honour at the tea will be Chief S. L. Akintola, the premier of Western Nigeria. Akintola, who, accompanied by a number of his leading cabinet ministers is in Canada

as part of a twenty-month economic tour in America and Europe, arrived in Ottawa on Monday for talks with the Canadian Government. He will meet Nigerian students at the tea, and will later address them in a meeting to be arranged.

The student guests, who will represent 30 different countries in Africa, Asia, South America and Europe, will be welcomed by Student Society President Robert Carswell, and Peter Turcot, President of the McGill Society of Montreal.

Senior members of the administrative staff, student leaders, the directors of the Graduates' Society, and the Alumnae Society will represent the University at the tea.

As has been the custom in past years, overseas students will also be entertained in the homes of graduates living in Montreal.

The tea will be held on Friday in Redpath Hall, from 4 to 6 pm.

Toronto Band Fears Wild Kingston Fans

Apparently the University of Toronto Band is afraid to go to Kingston to perform at the football game there on Saturday.

According to The Varsity, Toronto's student newspaper, the Blue and White Band has stated informally that they believe there is "too great a risk and expense" involved, and that the majority of the band members would rather not go to Queen's.

MCGILL WEEKEND

For the McGill weekend, the SAC paid \$1,000 for a brief playing time. This and the probability of losing equipment and perhaps even Band members to over-exuberant Queen's-men has generally dampened the Band's enthusiasm.

One SAC member, expressed ridicule at the band, suggesting that the Football team be asked whether they wanted to go to Queen's. Or "perhaps the team could play at half time" suggested another. However the official decision as to who goes where is in the hands of the SAC Music Committee, so the band may be there after all.

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Panel Discussion On Future Ends Student-Faculty Dinner

by JOY FENSTON

The ASUS initiated its 1961-62 student-faculty relations programme last night, with a banquet and panel discussion. The topic, "Where is Man Going?", was discussed by Drs. Fieldhouse, McCord Wright, Stern, Bindra, and Cohen.

"I can't say that the future looks very cheerful", said Dr. Fieldhouse, Dean of Arts and Science.

"The two longest periods of peace men have ever known are connected with imperialism", which is no longer a potent force. "In order to make liberal ideas continue and prevail, we shall need all our courage and vigilance. The spread of democracy in an area containing a backward majority will hamper the extension of liberal rights".

ROUGH LIFE

"I think life is going to be pretty rough", was Professor McCord Wright's contribution. But he stressed the fact that it is a peculiarity of human beings that having things too easy doesn't produce a very good specimen. Man can be rendered acid by adversity, he said, but worthwhile characters usually work their way through adversity.

"I think we are fortunate to be alive now", he concluded.

Professor Bindra, of the Psychology Department, concluded that "Biologically, man is likely to remain the dominant species on earth. His physical and physiological characteristics will probably change. Intellectually, in a few years it will be possible for a college freshman to know more physics than Einstein ever did. Morally, I feel optimistic. A more down to earth, honest personal morality is now possible. He stressed the concept of personal responsibility.

WOMEN'S FUTURE

Dr. Stern, the only woman on the panel, spoke on where woman is going. "I couldn't care less about the equality of men and women", she asserted, "but, regardless of whether women's ability is equal

to men's, we are wasting 50% of the ability of our society, because of the hypocrisy which distinguishes between career-women and homemakers. Most women want to be wives and mothers, but this need not prevent them from returning to university or a career after their children are grown up.

Dr. Cohen of the Department of Anthropology described three trends: the growth of specialization, of large organizations, and of the industrial revolution.

From these trends, two problems emerge: the problem of the rights and the nature of the individual in a more specialized society—the individual's rights seem to be shrinking—and the attempt of modern man to release himself from traditional religious and political values—he has no solid moral foundation, and thus a tremendous apathy.

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STUDENTS' SOCIETY MEETING

A meetings of the Students' Society of McGill University will be held in the Ballroom of the McGill Students' Union tomorrow at 1 pm.

The meeting will hear and consider the first public report of the New Union Committee on decisions taken on the building and location of a new union.

ROBERT S. CARSWELL,
President,
Students' Society of
McGill University

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NOVEMBER 2, 1961

Collective Action

FOR THE PAST two weeks the Daily has attempted to present the student body with a detailed survey of the New Union situation, its past history and present problems. The facts are now in the hands of the students. Since 1929, the successive members and chairmen of the Union Committee have represented the McGill students and their requirements in the process of negotiation and planning for an urgently-needed student centre. That representation is still active, but in the face of recent developments, it appears that there is immediate necessity for a collective and unanimous statement on the part of the entire student body, in order to present a strong and unified front to the University.

In the past the Administration has listened courteously to the plans and objections of the New Union Committee; however, it is apparent that the advice of our student leaders has not carried much actual weight when decisions were made or action taken. It is not within the power nor the place of the students to interfere with the educational policies set up by the University. It is equally obvious that it should be within the power, and it is the part, of this student body to participate actively in any decisions or plans for a new student centre.

Today at the Students' Society open meeting, the New Union Committee will present its report to the student body and seek declared and unified support from the Society in whose interests it has been active over the past thirty-two years.

It is imperative, in our opinion that every McGill student demonstrate his support both of his representatives and their actions over the New Union issue through attendance at today's Student Society open meeting.

Scared Mountain

MOUNT ROYAL IS REGARDED with great reverence by students at Montreal's two largest universities. It is held in such respect that most individuals attending the school on one side seem to feel that they cannot cross its sacred ground to meet with students attending the other.

For the majority of students, the total amount of contact between the two universities occurs once a year in a hockey rink (the annual battle for the Birks trophy). This is a sad commentary on the interest of supposedly inquisitive university students to explore a culture other than their own.

The lack of communication stemmed from a misconception on the part of student leaders on how to create some common ground of activity. Disregarding seminars, which are accessible only to the elite, the few other programs which were planned were aimed at bringing large masses of French and English students together. The results on these occasions were both sides arriving as a bloc, participating as a bloc, and leaving as a bloc.

To prevent any more of this type of failure, student leaders should concentrate on bringing small groups of people together in simple activities. This will remove the convenient refuge offered by many of one's own kind of person and students will have no choice but to become involved with those from the other ethnic background.

It may be that student leaders have finally realized the importance of small-group activities, but we are still waiting for a program of concrete action.

Point Of View

The Ideal Are Fading

by ROY HEENAN

It is to the credit of the Daily and the Students' Society that the New Union project has become an issue. As a recent graduate, who chaired the New Union Committee, I hope that every student will attend this meeting to discuss this matter which is of prime importance to the future of McGill. I hope that the resolutions passed at the meeting will reflect the determination of the students to have a properly planned student centre on an adequate site.

Is it too much to hope that a vital part of the education, social and cultural well-being of the McGill Students will one day, be provided for and the student body will have, again, a centre? This is the issue. Sir William MacDonald, a person with an amazing insight into education gave the McGill students a Union in 1907. By 1927 the university had outgrown the building and, since that time, Sir William's same ideal and hope prompted others to press for a new student centre. Yet today, a basically unsympathetic attitude threatens the original ideal and hope, and both are in danger of being killed by uncomprehending kindness.

What is a university?

A university consists of more than class-rooms, and education more than lectures. The Union and the Library should be of at least equal importance with lecture halls! At McGill it is so long since we have had an adequate Union that its vital func-

tions have been forgotten. A place to meet fellow students and new ideas, a place in which to discuss, a place in which to consider—surely this is what the university fails to provide at present.

This is a critically important part of a university. The tragedy is that this has not been recog-

Roy Heenan, B.C.L. '60, is a former chairman of the New Union Committee. He has also been President of the Students' Society.

nized. As was written in yesterday's Daily, either the Union must be viewed as an integral part of the educational process or it should have no place on the university at all. Ideas and individuals are molded as much in discussions and activities as they are in lectures.

We expect responsible citizens from our universities. Should not adequate facilities for this education also be provided? Teach-

ing may be done in the classroom; education comes just as readily from a union or a library.

What is McGill?

McGill, with reason, boasts of its cosmopolitan nature. Yet where can this cosmopolitanism find its expression? What provision has been made for the varying ideas, cultures, and students to meet? What physical facilities are provided to reap the benefit of McGill's most treasured asset? Where and how does a foreign student meet his Montreal counterpart? It is no surprise that student body often divides into small closed groups.

The hopes—and the plans:

If on the basis of these ideas students have in the past hoped for proper facilities and a true student centre, the planning and the attitude which has confronted these hopes has been at once disappointing and puzzling. One sometimes wonders whether students are only tolerated at the university as an evil necessity, rather than considered a vital, integral, and responsible part of the McGill community. How else can one explain the New Union planning? Decisions are taken without the knowledge of the student-Governor committee which is supposed to be discussing the matter. Faculty petitions cause the site to be changed without the student position being requested or discussed. The New Union Committee of Governors and students are completely ignored and uninformed. Sites are promised and changed with increasing rapidity. The result could have been foreseen—a totally unsuitable tower planned on a grossly inadequate site. Surely the student deserves something better than a paternalistic pat on the head.

If the university believes that a student centre is not a necessity, it should say so openly. If the university believes that the centre has an important role to play in the educational process, adequate plans should be made. And the student should be treated as a responsible individual who is capable of contributing positively to this planning.

The attitude which attaches little importance to the concept of a student centre is usually the same attitude which denies the student any responsibility. Both of these attitudes I believe are wrong.

I hope that the students at the Students' Society Meeting will publicly state their views on the New Union. On behalf of many who have now left McGill but who still share the belief in an educational student centre, I hope these views will be heard.

Letters To The Editor

Green Deserved Poor Reception

Dear Madam,

David Norman, in Monday's Daily, accused the student body of not having accorded Howard Green a proper reception on his recent visit to McGill. I, being one of those who bothered to attend that particular meeting, came away not at all amazed at the lack of interest.

Does the fact that Mr. Green is Canada's foreign minister change in the slightest degree the fact that his qualities of leadership are nil? The mere elevation to high rank does not bestow upon the holder of such rank the qualities of leadership.

Mr. Green is a foolish man, bland, and amazingly dull. Perhaps he is well-intentioned. Beyond that I see nothing worthy of the slightest respect, except the grey hairs of senility to which he himself so rapturously referred during the course of his speech.

Is statesmanship the ability to bore an audience with unadulterated blandness and mediocrity? The atmosphere surrounding Mr. Green is that of a spider web, undisturbed for many years. His vigour is catching. No wonder so many people left immediately after the speech.

At such time as Canada produces a foreign minister, and a government for that matter, worthy of attention, that foreign minister and government will get the attention and respect due them. Until then, the

student body may with good cause give Mr. Green and his like the same attention they have given him in the past.

Phillip Resnick,
B.A. I

Doesn't Like Sunglasses

Dear Madam,

There are a number of students in McGill who don't seem to realize that summer and Indian summer have left us for good this year. These misguided souls are the "sunglass wearers". Inside dim halls and smoky lounges, on dull, cold, and dreary days, they can be seen sporting their smoked lenses. The wonder of it is how they can see where they are going!

This phenomenon has confused me ever since I was first astounded to see a student wearing sunglasses during lecture in Moyse Hall, on a dark Monday morning. Are these people trying to look mysterious or glamorous? Are they attempting to appear "arty", pseudo-beat, or pseudo-intellectual? Are they using their glasses to hide their insecurity, so that they can see out while no one can see in? Are they merely following a new and questionable fad? I challenge anyone to offer me a reasonable and logical explanation.

ANNE HART
B.A. I

An AIESEC Summer:

In Norwich With Marks & Spencer

by STEVE ABRAHAMS

News of a good thing travels fast. I doubt if there are many students in the upper years of Economics and Commerce who have not heard of AIESEC, l'Association Internationale des Etudiants en Sciences Economiques et Commerciales. However, apart from those who have been fortunate enough to work abroad for the summer months, few know very much about these traineeships.

This past summer I worked in Norwich, England, a town of about 100,000 people, situated one hundred and ten miles north-east of London. My employer was Marks and Spencer, Ltd., a chain of two hundred and thirty-eight department stores catering primarily to the lower-middle and working classes and selling "top-quality" merchandise at reasonable prices.

TRAINING

In the two months I spent with the firm, I received a somewhat condensed version of the

regular two-year managerial training program. This began with approximately two weeks in the stock room, checking on shipments and unwrapping parcels. It was here that I met and conquered the language barrier, which caused some embarrassment at first. The next challenge came when I started to work behind the counters (strictly men's wear - the girls sold bras), and could not avoid making change: pounds, shillings, and the rest of those zupence and bupence. I was not

always sure of the correct amount, but I always gave the customer the benefit of the doubt. (At one point it was rumoured that the manager was considering refilling my till during the day, as it was nearly empty. At any rate, customer relations were never better). I then tried my hand at supervising, which gave me an opportunity to learn something about merchandising. During my stay, I also served in the office for some time, and worked with the personnel manager.

CLASS DISTINCTION

They say class distinction is dying in Britain. At Marks, this is far from true. There was a main cafeteria, where the sales girls ate. At separate tables sat the warehouse men. And, at another table were the supervisors and office staff. No-one ever sat at a table not in keeping with his or her position, and never would a male sit at a table designated female, or vice versa. In a separate dining room were three tables for the senior staff, one for men, one for women, and one for the manager and assistant manager. It was in this latter room that I was to sit, and there were more than a few raised eyebrows when I started to roam from table to table. However, I had a certain degree of immunity, and just managed to keep them amused at my futile efforts to crash the class barrier.

One of the highlights of my stay was a day spent at Head

Montreal Symphony Offers Four Concerts

This year, the Junior Committee of the Montreal Symphony Orchestra, in conjunction with Les Jeunesses Musicales of Canada, is offering a series of four concerts, at the nominal fee of five dollars.

In European cities special concerts have been offered to students for a number of years. It was found that academic groups were interested in enriching their musical knowledge and in listening to leading orchestras and performers, at a price they could afford. The success of this system is marked, and now every leading European city holds these events for students.

The idea has spread to the North American continent in recent years, and, due to its great popularity in the States, it was felt by the Montreal Symphony Orchestra that a similar opportunity should be offered to Montreal students, particularly because of the cosmopolitan aspect of this city, and also because there are so few activities in which the university and college students join forces.

The success of this experiment in the last two years has warranted an expansion of the program.

Office in London. This was designated to give the four trainees hired by M & S some concept of the overall operations of the company.

As must be obvious by now, there were many good times involved. But let there be no misconceptions. I learned a great deal with the store; from some of the experiences I have already reaped benefit, whereas some I will only realize in the future. And, I would hope, I made a valuable and constructive contribution to Marks and Spencer, Norwich.

On November 7 Zubin Mehta will conduct the Montreal Symphony with guest pianist Alfred Brendel, in a program consisting of Berlioz's Overture to the Carnival Romain, Brahms' First Concerto and Schumann's Fourth Symphony. Mehta will again conduct the orchestra, this time with guest pianist Marek Jablonski, on November 21, in Mozart's Impresario Overture, Weber's Six Pieces, op. 6, Chopin's First Concerto and Tchaikovsky's Fifth Symphony.

GUESTS

On February 24 the guest conductor will be Josef Krips, with violinist Henryk Szeryng, performing Strauss' Death and Transfiguration, Dvorak's Concerto in A minor and Beethoven's Symphony no. 2 in D major; and for the final concert Zubin Mehta will conduct the orchestra and the Jeunesses Musicales Choir in Verdi's Requiem in Notre Dame church.

Every ticket holder for this series will automatically become a member of Les Jeunesses Musicales of Canada at a reduced rate, as well as giving him access to the Record Centre on Crescent Street.

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Lecturers From Abroad Visit Canadian Colleges On Grants

Distinguished lecturers from Japan, France, Belgium and the United States will visit Canadian universities and colleges during the next few months as a result of Canada Council grants to these institutions.

These grants, announced last week, will enable the universities to bring scholars over from abroad. They are part of an extensive Canada Council program to facilitate the exchange of persons and ideas between Canadian colleges and those of other countries.

Considerable assistance has been given to Canadian universities and colleges for a period of more than three years, enabling them to bring scholars of international reputation to their campuses.

GRANTS

Seven grants have been given various universities throughout Canada. The Institute of Islamic Studies here at McGill has received a grant to bring Professor Toshihiko Izutsu, from Kelo University, Tokyo, Japan for the second semester of 1961-62 to lecture on "The Role of Language in Islamic History and Society."

Laval University has received three grants, the first to bring Professor Maurice Allais, of the Université de Paris, for one month of the second term of 1961-62 to lecture in a specialized field of economic theory. The other two are both for the Faculty of Social Sciences, to bring two professors from Paris, France.

PROFESSORS FROM FRANCE

Professor Paul Mercier, of l'Institut Français d'Afrique noir, Université de Paris, will go to Laval for three months to lecture on the sociological and anthropological urbanization in Africa, and to advise on the development of a new course in anthropology. Dr. Pierre Roumeguère of the National Centre of Scientific Research, Paris, will be there for two months, to give lectures on the relationship between culture and personality as studied from a psychiatric viewpoint.

The Department of Economic Sciences at the Université de Montréal has received a grant to bring Dr. Alexandre Lamfalussy, Economic advisor to the Bank of Brussels, for two weeks in January 1962.

SASKATCHEWAN

The University of Saskatchewan has received one grant for the Department of French and one for the Department of Economics and Political Science. The Department of French will bring the author Vercors, to lecture in Saskatoon on October 30. He is undertaking a lecture tour in the United States sponsored by Connecticut College.

The Department of Economic and Political Science will have Dr. Paul M. Sweezy, from New York, give one public lecture and one seminar meeting during a week in November.

Zagorin Looks At Berlin Crisis

by LEWIS SOROKA

"The conflict in the world today is not one of ideologies; it is a struggle between the power of the Soviet Union as a state, together with its allies; and the liberty of the Western nations."

Professor P. Zagorin so prefaced his talk to an open student meeting yesterday, sponsored by CUCND.

Zagorin went on to explain the twofold influence of Marxism, first as a contribution to factual knowledge, and secondly as a concept of world order. It is this latter concept, he said, which prevents the Soviet leaders from accepting the status quo in the world today. They feel they must spread their supposedly higher level of society.

MODIFICATION

In this respect, Soviet Premier Khrushchev's insistence on peaceful coexistence represents a modification of the orthodox Marxist view of social evolution through conflict. As such, it should be welcomed, however, as evidenced at recent Soviet congress, this idea of coexistence has little effect on actual Soviet policies.

Thus, Professor Zagorin stated, the only acceptable policy is a mutual respect between east and

west, as well as co-operation in varied fields.

BERLIN

In the second part of his talk, Professor Zagorin took up the Berlin and German questions. He laid the greater part of the blame for the Berlin crisis on the attitude of Russia in trying to unilaterally alter the status of West Berlin, as well as in aggravating the situation with recent nuclear blasts.

The West, however, must shoulder some responsibility for not advancing any concrete policy for Berlin and Germany since the Soviet threats in November of 1958, he said.

The danger in the Berlin crisis lies in the implication concerning East German sovereignty and rights over transportation and communication with West Berlin.

DEFEAT

According to Professor Zagorin, a defeat for the Allies in West Berlin would have two major results. First, Europe would begin to consider it hopeless to try to resist Soviet pressures. Secondly, the Western defeat would encourage hostile acts on the part of the Eastern powers, and thus heighten tension in nearly every part of the world.

If we fail to hold the line in Berlin, he concluded, we can look forward to the loss of European freedom, and perhaps the eventual isolation of Canada and the U.S. from Europe.

In addition, recognition of East Germany would in effect sanction the permanent division of Germany. This is undesirable from several viewpoints, said the Professor. It would destroy German faith in the West.

Unity, also would be a greater aid to peace, if Germany were sufficiently disarmed. He pointed out that in the past centuries German disunity has caused more trouble than unity.

NOMINATIONS STUDENTS' EXECUTIVE COUNCIL

Nominations are called for representatives on the Students' Executive Council

Nominations must be in writing and shall be signed by twenty-five members of the Students' Society belonging to the group or groups which the nominee is to represent. The nominee also must sign the nomination, which must be in accordance with the form prescribed by Article 2 of the Electoral By-laws, which are contained in the Handbook.

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- The Undergraduate students in the School of Commerce
- The Undergraduate students in the Faculty of Music, the Faculty of Divinity and the Institute of Education
- The Undergraduate students in the Faculty of Medicine
- The Undergraduate students in the Faculty of Dentistry
- The Undergraduate students in the School of Physical and Occupational Therapy, the School of Graduate Nurses and the School of Social Work
- The Students in the Faculty of Graduate Studies and Research

Except in the Faculty of Graduate Studies and Research, nominees must be students of the year prior to graduation in each group. — The 65% rule will apply.

Nominations must be in the hands of the Secretary-Treasurer of the Students' Society by 3 pm Thursday, November 9, 1961.

Elections will be conducted by the Students' Executive Council on Monday, November 20, 1961.

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Commercemen Upset Shysters In Tense Championship Game

by TOM LOCKWOOD

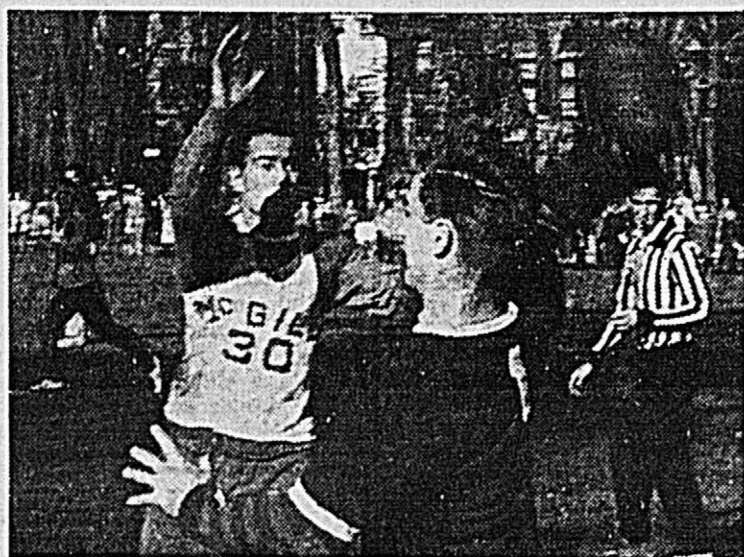
On Tuesday, the sun peeked through on the rain-drenched Lower Campus, the scene of the touchfootball championship. In a spine-tingling encounter, the Bankers edged the Shysters 12-6 in a game whose outcome was in doubt until the final whistle.

A crowd, estimated at close to four hundred, saw the Shysters strike early. Mike Richards took a short pass over centre from quarter-back, Rich Bowie, and scampered down to the 10 yard-line. Two plays later, Norm Levy grabbed a pass on the goal-line to give the Shysters an early 6-0 lead. The convert, an attempted drop-kick, went wide when the hooper fell on the slippery turf.

The Lawyers kicked off to the Bankers who there upon mounted their first sustained drive of the afternoon. The Bankers' quarter-back, Ricky Blatt, utilizing his great speed ran around first the right end and then the left for long gains.

This inability to stop the end proved to be the weakness of both defensive squads. A pass interference call against the Shysters put the Bankers on their opponents' 10 yard marker with a first down. Defense proved superior to offense in this instance as three Banker passes were either knocked down or went wide of their marks.

With less than a minute to go in the first half, a long spiraling punt by the Bankers tipped the out-stretched hands of Rick Bowie and rolled into the end-zone.



Last minute desperation pass brings head-on meeting of opposing quarterbacks Ricky Blatt (30) and Mike Richards, as Blatt's Bankers captured the Intramural Touchfootball Championship, 12-6.

Tim Peters got down fast and fell on the ball for the equalizer. The convert attempt was foiled.

SECOND HALF

Early in the second half, a try for the tie-breaker was thwarted when the Bankers managed to get the pig-skin out over the goal-line. A see-saw defensive battle then ensued as both teams failed to get their vaunted offensive units under way.

The end run was again used to

great advantage by Blatt and he soon had his team in scoring position. From there he pitched a short pass over centre to Stan Kivenho who rambled untouched into the end-zone to give the Bankers the winning 6 points. A desperate last minute drive by the lawyers fell short and with the final gun the boys from the Commerce had dethroned the Shysters as the McGill Touchfootball Champions.

SPORTS SCRAPS

by LINDA COHEN

Assoc. Sports Editor

You see those haggard faces of the McGill coeds and you wonder to what they might be attributed. No doubt the strain of studies is among the foremost reasons. Nonetheless, the freshette perseveres and forces herself to study in the hallowed halls of Redpath Library. Mustering all possible will power, she "plows" through a certain engrossing 700 page Dickens novel. The end is in reach... when, lo and behold, the haggard-looking coed notices that she is late for that all important date — with Keep Fit. (or Volleyball, Fencing et al. The sport is unimportant; it's the principle of the thing). "Oh, well," you mutter, resignedly, "C'est la vie."

COMPULSARY PHYS-ED

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The WAA is constantly on the lookout for improvements. It is my contention that the WAA could better their organization by making the practices akin to those of the boys athletics. Under this system an intramural team member earns a stated number of points to be applied towards the necessary 20, the accumulation of which makes him exempt from the frosh phys-ed program.

RESULTS OF INNOVATION

By so doing, coeds would certainly be more willing to play competitive sports. Unfortunately, as of now, female extra-curricular sports activity is not taken into account. Certainly, active sports participation could be rewarded with somewhat more than a McGill letter.

SQUASH NOTICE

Will the following report ready for play to the McGill squash courts today at 6 pm.

Tom Bell, Ken McReynolds, Bob Gibson, Rich Hart, Shane Rathburn, Malcolm Blincow, Bruce Denny-Brown, Simon Wren, and John Stikeman.

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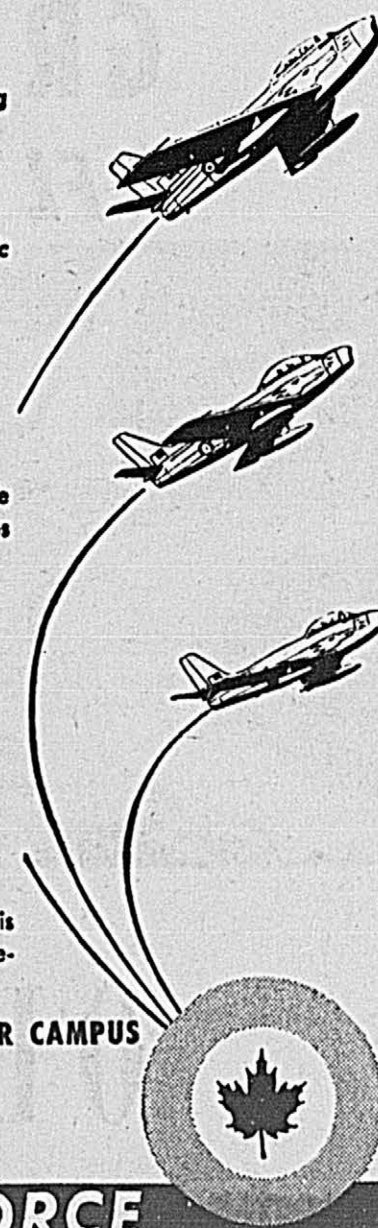
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Prospects Loom Bright As Poloists Prime For Series

by OLAV NIILEND

Each night, a dedicated group of athletes congregate at the Currie pool for a grueling session of body conditioning and practice. This is McGill's intercollegiate water polo team.

Having practised since the beginning of October, they are preparing for the annual tourney with Toronto Varsity, to be held on the second and ninth of December in Montreal and Toronto respectively. This total point series will be for the Hershorn Trophy which is in the hands of the Hogtown squad.

WEEKLY EXHIBITION GAMES

At the present the team is playing a set of exhibition encounters every Wednesday night at the Currie pool against the East End Boys Club. Last week, when the season was initiated, the Redmen suffered a 9-5 defeat.

Coach Ross Firth felt that the squad was not in condition and as this was their first opportunity to

play together as a unit, the team did not manage to capitalize on many of the key scoring chances. Although the defence was strong, the offence was too ineffective to produce a winning water polo team.

The coach is presently negotiating with the New York Athletic Club for a series of games which will give the boys on the team variety in opposition, as there is only one senior squad in the city. It is hoped that such a match would add extra incentive to the players, which is something found lacking in many of the minor collegiate sports.

The team has some outstanding poloists in the form of Andy and Peter Helmy, both veterans who will be especially valuable in their guard slots. Cameron Grout, the well known swimmer, will also be tossing the polo ball along with Chris Mills and Gordie Belinsky. Larry Conochie will be handling goaltending duties.

SUPPORT

It is hoped that the squad will earn the support of McGill sports lovers and that choruses of "I'm a raindrop", which are much most appropriate for this sport, will soon echo forth from the pool bleachers in the water polo matches to come.

Fear Hits Both Camps SEC, Daily Lose Aces

Sad news has come out of both camps as the two great teams get set for tomorrow's 1 pm exhibition touchfootball game. Both the Daily and the SEC will have to do without the services of star performers.

SEC coach, Wilf Hastings, regretted to announce today that backfield phenomenon, Bill Hutchison, will not be with the club for the encounter. Hutchison who is a highly offensive player has been forced to leave town on business and consequently has been put on waivers by the team.

PLAGUED

The Daily is also plagued by serious problems — first string quarterback, Mike Taylor, is a doubtful starter as is all-ivy Bob Amaron. Taylor is having contract trouble. He accidentally signed with a club in the interfraternity league and the decision as to which contract he must ho-

nour rests with Football commissioner, Andrew Roman, BA 3.

Amaron has a highly swollen ankle and club doctors fear that he may have to sit this one out.

Daily coach, Tom Tausky, will go along with three quarterbacks if Taylor is considered ineligible. Team captain Lew Moss assured all fans that his squad will have a strong bench with 24 players in uniform.

SEC officials declined to comment on their lineup but did say that a successful practice was held behind closed doors in the Union last night.

Both teams will have active cheerleading squads at the game.

Rookies Impressive In Junior Varsity Tryout

In an interview with the Daily yesterday, Coach Neil McGregor of the Junior Varsity Indians stressed the need for a complete rebuilding programme. In an effort to maintain the level of last year's City Intercollegiate Championship team, Coach McGregor is putting his squad through rigorous practice drills.

Last year's high scorers, Ron Horeck and Jack Walker, who paced the team to a record of 15 wins out of 16 games, have been lost to the senior outfit. Ineligibility and marriage have caused the loss of the remaining three first-stringers.

Fortunately, enough of the second-stringers have remained to make up an experienced nucleus

for this year's club. Among the promising rookies is Bob Smythe, a product of New York's Stuyvesant High School. Two local boys worth taking notice of are Andy Nerska and Brian Pilgrim.

The first indications of the team's strength will come on November 14, when the Junior Varsity take on Loyola College in the season's opener.

GIRL'S ICE HOCKEY

Ice time will be available for all intramural or intercollegiate hockey enthusiasts on Friday, Nov. 6, 5-6 pm and Tuesday, Nov. 7, 1-2 pm.

RUGGER NOTICE

A game has been arranged for the Senior Rugger squad against Westmount tonight. Will last Saturday's side turn up at Molson Stadium at 7:30 pm. All intermediate players are required also since we have to choose a full side to play against the Barbarians Saturday.

HARRIER TEAMS

The following members will leave for C.M.R. Saturday, Nov. 4 at 12 pm from the Gym: Adams, Walkiw, Wighton, Hudson, MacKay, Moule, Herten-Greaven, Compton, Kirkly, Preble.

Practice will be held daily at the usual times. All members are asked to contact H. R. Ryan sometime before Friday noon.

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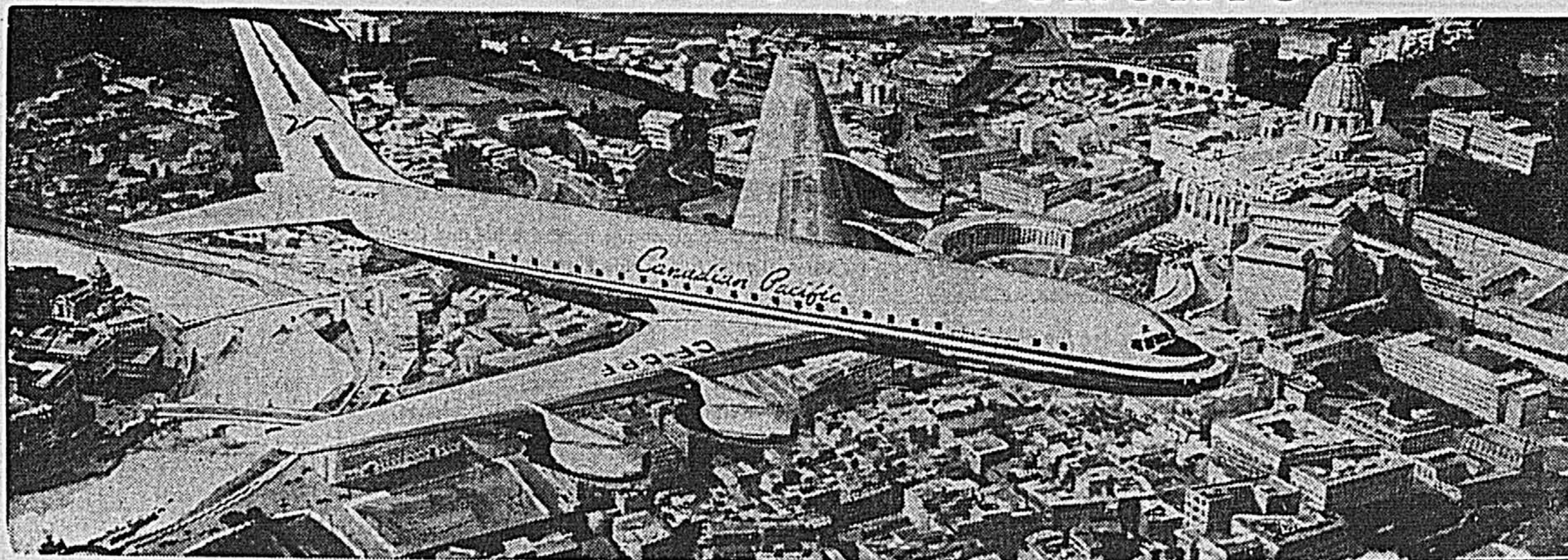
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